## **Recording Guidelines for the Federation Junior Festival**

- 1. Students need to state who they are and what they are playing. They need to show the original score on the video. Example: "Hi. My name is David and I will be playing "Clair de Lune" by Debussy and "Prelude No. 11" by Liadov. Here are my original scores." If students are performing by memory, they can lay their scores down out of sight.
- 2. Students should bow.
- 3. Students should take a moment to breathe deeply before performing piece #1.
- 4. Students should place hands in their lap after performing piece #1 and pause for five seconds. Then students should perform piece #2.
- 5. At the end of the performance, students should bow and exit the screen.
- 6. The video recording must be made with one fixed camera angle/location so that the performer is visible at all times.
- 7. Students must perform the pieces listed on the Registration Form. No changes can be made after the registration deadline.
- 8. Only repertoire originally written for unaccompanied instrument or voice may be performed without an accompanist; however, if entrants are unable to meet with accompanists due to state or local orders, prerecorded accompaniments are acceptable.
- 9. Check videos for sound quality prior to uploading.
- 10. Do not wait until the last day to submit videos.
- 11. Check with your teacher for this year's video submission deadline.